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In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated February 21, 2002 (copy enclosed), in connection with the above-identified application, enclosed herewith are a signed Declaration & Power of Attorney and a check in the sum of \$130 as the late filing fee. Also enclosed please find an Assignment, Recordation Form Cover Sheet and check in the sum of \$40 as the recordation fee.

In addition, enclosed herein please find a verified English translation of the specification which was originally filed in Japanese. Applicant respectfully submits that the fee of \$130.00 under 37 CFR 1.17(i) was paid when the application was filed on October 30, 2001.

If there are any further fees required in connection with the acceptance of the enclosed documents, please charge those fees to KODA & ANDROLIA DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 11-1445.

Respectfully submitted,

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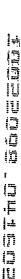
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The application was filed in a language other than English. Applicant is required to provide an English translation of the specification and a statement that the translation is accurate. (See 37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

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I, Hiroshi Kondo, state:

that I am thoroughly conversant with the Japanese and English languages;

that I am presently engaged as a translator in these languages; and that the attached English translation of the Japanese language specification of Application Number 10/022,098 filed in the Patent Office on October 30, 2001 is accurate.

Date: Apullo, 2002

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